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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 26, 2007, on the above-referenced application, please enter the following amendments and remarks.

This Amendment is timely filed Tuesday, May 29, 2007, as the deadline fell on Saturday, May 26, 2007 and the following Monday, May 28, 2007, was Memorial Day holiday.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.